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- (a) There is a Criminal Injuries Compensation Board in the Governor's Office of Crime Control and Prevention.
 - (b) (1) The Board consists of five members.
 - (2) Of the five members of the Board:
 - (i) one shall be a family member of a homicide victim;
- (ii) no more than four may belong to the same political party; and
- (iii) one shall have been admitted to practice law in the State for at least 5 years immediately preceding the appointment.
- (3) The Executive Director shall appoint the members of the Board, with the approval of the Governor and the advice and consent of the Senate.
 - (c) (1) The term of a member is 5 years.
- (2) A member who is appointed to fill a vacancy occurring other than by expiration of a term serves for the rest of the unexpired term.
- (d) (1) With the approval of the Governor, the Executive Director shall designate one member of the Board as chairman.
 - (2) The chairman serves at the pleasure of the Executive Director.
- (e) (1) Each member of the Board shall devote the time necessary to perform the duties listed under this subtitle.
 - (2) Each member of the Board is entitled to:
 - (i) compensation in accordance with the State budget; and
- (ii) reimbursement for expenses under the Standard State Travel Regulations, as provided in the State budget.

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